Warren Keogh-Non-Affiliated-Senate District E

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Age:

65

Place of Birth:

Port Huron, Michigan

Spouse's Name:

Sally

Children's Names:

Connor, Hugh, Ryan

Length of Residency in Alaska:

41 years

Alaskan communities lived in:

Eagle River 1973-75 Anchorage 1975-78; 2002-03 Wasilla 1978-84 Chickaloon 1984-2001; 2003-present

Education:

Bear Creek H.S., Diploma. 1966 University of Alaska, A.A. 1975 University of Alaska, A.A.S. 1977 University of the State of New York, B.S. 1992 Alaska Pacific University, M.A. 1994

Military Service:

U.S. Army 1968-71 (2 years Vietnam) Air Medal (5-OLC), Army Commendation Medal (1-OLC) Honorable Discharge

Political and Government Positions:

Assemblyman, Mat-Su Borough Chairman, Chickaloon Community Council

Business and Professional Positions:

Paralegal, Researcher/Writer-Fish and Wildlife Service

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Firefighter/Paramedic–Anchorage Fire Department Intelligence operator–US Army

Special Interests:

Hunting, fishing, shooting (NRA instructor), motorcycling, reading, Texas Hold'em

Other (Biographical Only):

Following military service, I arrived in Alaska in 1973 with little. I got an education, married Sally (lifelong Alaskan), began a family and built our log home on a Chickaloon homestead. Here we raised our sons, who became successful men shaped by solid family values, healthy community, home schooling and good public schools.

Statement:

Alaska is a great place and can be even better if we address the serious challenges we face. Recent state fiscal policies and poor decision making are hurting us. A fresh approach is needed and that's why I am running for the Senate.

Lawmakers in Juneau are not solving our problems. There is little desire to balance our recent state budgets, which have record setting deficits. One of our most critical needs, education for our kids, is fraught with uncertainty and last minute legislative bickering. The list goes on. We are not developing enough family wage jobs. We roll out enormously expensive speculative projects when we have limited resources to maintain our existing infrastructure. Where are solutions for our depleted fisheries, advancing a natural gas pipeline, and high costs of electricity? Are we adequately protecting the Permanent Fund for our children and grandchildren? We can and must do better. Together, we must face these issues to build a sustainable growing economy.

As a lifelong Independent, I am a strong believer in the value of individual and local community participation in government. Each one of you has valuable knowledge and ideas the legislature needs to hear. I'm ready and able to work with you to accomplish things in an open, transparent and responsive way.

My past successes are a result of listening, finding solutions, and building trust. I'll bring my record of hard work, independent and creative thinking, practical teamwork, and common sense to the Alaska Senate.



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